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TUBE

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Sir:

Pursuant to 37 CFR §§1.56, 1.97 and 1.98, applicant cites, provides copies and briefly discusses the following art references:

	<u>U.S. Patent No.</u>	<u>Inventor(s)</u>	<u>Issued Date</u>
1.	6,144,148	Tong <i>et al.</i>	Nov. 7, 2000
2.	6,130,501	Tong <i>et al.</i>	Oct. 10, 2000
3.	6,057,641	Yoshida <i>et al.</i>	May 2, 2000
4.	6,037,709	Nakagawa <i>et al.</i>	Mar. 14, 2000
5.	6,013,975	Gijrath	Jan. 11, 2000
6.	6,005,341	Park <i>et al.</i>	Dec. 21, 1999
7.	5,982,085	Lakshmanan <i>et al.</i>	Nov. 9, 1999
8.	5,780,962	Fujii <i>et al.</i>	Jul. 14, 1998
9.	5,502,349	Seo	Mar. 26, 1996

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11.	5,410,215	Seo	Apr. 25, 1995
12.	5,327,043	Lambert	Jul. 5, 1994
13.	5,274,301	Takahashi <i>et al.</i>	Dec. 28, 1993
14.	5,252,889	Choi	Oct. 12, 1993
15.	4,994,712	Strauss	Feb. 19, 1991
16.	4,931,690	Kokubu <i>et al.</i>	Jun. 5, 1990
17.	4,783,614	Kraner	Nov. 8, 1988
18.	4,652,792	Tokita <i>et al.</i>	Mar. 24, 1987
19.	4,644,222	Brunn	Feb. 17, 1987
20.	4,506,188	Puhak	Mar. 19, 1985
21.	4,318,025	Penird <i>et al.</i>	Mar. 2, 1982
22.	4,317,064	Dougherty	Feb. 23, 1982
23.	4,072,876	Morrell	Feb. 7, 1978
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28.	6,100,629	Han <i>et al.</i>	Aug. 8, 2000
29.	6,064,146	Lee	May 16, 2000
30.	6,046,535	Jung	Apr. 4, 2000
31.	5,929,558	Lee	Jul. 27, 1999
32.	5,834,886	Jeong <i>et al.</i>	Nov. 10, 1998
33.	5,763,996	Kim	Jun. 9, 1998
34.	5,763,990	Kwak	Jun. 9, 1998
35.	5,717,280	Lee	Feb. 10, 1998
36.	5,677,592	Choi <i>et al.</i>	Oct. 14, 1997

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37.	5,557,162	Han	Sep. 17, 1996
38.	5,416,377	Kim	May 16, 1995
39.	5,394,052	Oh	Feb. 28, 1995
40.	5,376,863	Kim <i>et al.</i>	Dec. 27, 1994
41.	5,247,224	Bae	Sep. 21, 1993
42.	5,210,459	Lee	May 11 1993
43.	5,072,150	Lee	Dec. 10, 1991

Tong *et al.* '148 discloses a holder for maintaining an apertured shadow mask in fixed relation to the display screen of a color cathode ray tube (CRT).

Tong *et al.* '501 discloses an arrangement for mounting a shadow mask, or color selection electrode, in the glass envelop of a color cathode ray tube (CRT).

Yoshida *et al.* '641 discloses a cathode-ray tube having a color-selecting electrode.

Nakagawa *et al.* '709 discloses a cathode ray tube comprising a plurality of support members for suspending a mask frame on a face panel.

Gijrath '975 discloses a colour display tube having a shadow mask in a supporting frame.

Park *et al.* '341 discloses a structure of a magnetic shield provided in a cathode ray tube (CRT) to shield against the earth magnetic field and the external magnetic field.

Lakshmanan *et al.* '085 discloses an apertured shadow mask directing electron beams toward phosphor elements on the inside surface of the face plate of a CRT.

Fujii *et al.* '962 discloses a color-selecting apparatus of a color display device which can effectively suppress vibration generated in a color-selecting electrode system.

Seo '349 discloses an elastic member for supporting the shadow mask of a color picture tube.

Chun '016 discloses a P-F connector structure for a cathode-ray tube.

Seo '215 discloses a device for mounting a shadow mask in a color television tube.

Lambert '043 discloses a cathode-ray tube having an internal magnetic shield.

Takahashi *et al.* '301 discloses a color cathode ray tube panel with shadow mask supports.

Choi '889 discloses a color CRT with means for correcting mislanding of electron beams.

Strauss '712 discloses a mounting arrangement for a foil shadow mask with low thermal expansion coefficient.

Kokubu *et al.* '690 discloses a color picture tube having an electron shield for shielding secondary electrons.

Kraner '614 discloses a front assembly for a color cathode ray tube having a tension foil shadow mask.

Tokita *et al.* '792 discloses a color cathode ray tube with resilient shadow mask support.

Brunn '222 discloses a color picture tube with mounting structure for a shadow mask.

Puhak '188 discloses means for dampening structural vibrations physically induced in an operating color cathode ray tube by an external audio source.

Penird *et al.* '025 discloses a shadow mask microphonic suppressor included in a color cathode ray tube.

Dougherty '064 discloses a shadow mask suspension system in a color cathode ray tube.

Morrell '876 discloses a corrugated shadow mask assembly for a cathode ray tube.

Schneider, Jr. '598 discloses a color television tube including means for restricting movement of a shadow mask in a direction transverse to the longitudinal axis of a color cathode ray tube.

Schwartz *et al.* '971 discloses a color television tube mask mounting adapted to substantially compensate for the mechanical shift of the mask openings during operation.

Kuryla *et al.* '096 discloses a color cathode ray tube having shadow mask frame formed to accommodate a support system.

Schwartz *et al.* '192 discloses a color television tube construction including means for minimizing temperature differential between shadow mask frame and tube envelope.

Han *et al.* '629 discloses a panel assembly for cathode ray tube with vibration damping member.

Lee '146 discloses a shadow mask frame assembly for color cathode ray tube.

Jung '535 discloses a shadow mask frame assembly for a cathode ray tube.

Lee '558 discloses a shadow mask assembly with thermal expansion compensation.

Jeong *et al.* '886 discloses a shadow mask frame with a curved flange.

Kim '996 discloses a cathode ray tube.

Kwak '990 discloses an assembly of mask frame and inner shield for color cathode-ray tubes.

Lee '280 discloses a hook spring of shadow mask frame assembly for color cathode ray tube.

Choi *et al.* '592 discloses a cathode ray tube.

Han '162 discloses a color picture tube with a shadow mask support member.

Kim '377 discloses a shadow mask assembly used in color cathode ray tube.

Oh '052 discloses a shadow mask frame assembly.

Kim *et al.* 863 discloses an elastic supporting member for shadow mask frame.

Bae '224 discloses a color cathode ray tube shadow mask assembly.

Lee '459 discloses a shadow mask structure of a color cathode ray tube.

Lee '150 discloses a shadow mask assembly for color picture tube.

The foregoing citation of references is not intended to constitute an assertion of particular relevants and is not intended to constitute a search that applicant has undertaken a thorough search of the prior art. Accordingly, the Examiner is requested to undertake a thorough and wide-ranging search of the relevant classifications.

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